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Wine Manufacture Permit Given

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Pioneer Sonoma Mother Celebrates Ninety-Fifth Birthday

CARS OVERTURN AND OCCUPANTS NARROWLY ESCAPE

Car Overturned Near Golf Club Wednesday; James Lawrence Also In Accident Near Santa Rosa.

A number of prominent local people had narrow escapes in automobile accident the past week, among them two prominent school teachers, Misses Pearl Fallon and Charlotte Newman, and their escorts, Messrs. Richmond and McNealy, who were on their way to a card party at Boyes Springs Wednesday night. The Ford car in which they were riding skidded in some heavy gravel near the Kearney ranch and overturned, but fortunately none of the party was seriously hurt. The Kearney family and passersby gave first aid and brought the frightened occupants of the wrecked car back to town.

J. L. Richmond and John McNealy are engineers of the state highway crew. They stated that the accident was near a point on the county road where a culvert is under construction.

Last Saturday night James Lawrence, brother-in-law of Stanley A. Robinson, met with an accident near the Hutchinson ranch on the Santa Rosa highway when his coupe left the road and overturned. The little car was completely demolished, but Lawrence sustained no serious injury.

He was forced to walk a mile or more to a telephone for aid and during his absence thieves stripped the car of everything of value, including three tires, horn, spot light, motor-meter and radiator cap, coils, speedometer, carburetor and tail light.

QUEEN CONTEST OF MAY DAY CARNIVAL

If you have a favorite young lady to enter in the contest for Queen of the Boyes Springs carnival, you had better hurry, for nominations for Queen close on April 17th.

Between that date and April 24th there will be a merry contest between the candidates for the final honor. The polls will be at the Boyes Springs fire house and after 4 p. m. of April 24th, no figures of the relative position of the candidates will be announced. At midnight all votes must be in and then the count will start.

To date three charming girls are in the race—the Misses Claire Farrell, Muriel Ricks and Gladys Fox. They are out to carry off the honor of Carnival Queen and incidentally to win the \$100 certified check which is to go to the royal winner.

The committee announces a bonus of 500 votes to the candidate first coming in with 1000 votes; 250 votes will be the bonus for the second 1000 and 250 votes for the third.

Mrs. George Samuel, chairman of the Queen Contest Committee, has elaborate plans for the coronation, but that will be a big news story later, so watch the papers.

A. J. Silva has been confined to his home for some time past with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Dismissed Man Charged With Disturbing Peace

Not a "Teapot Dome", but a tempest in a teapot is what Judge Small adjudged the scrap between Post Master Anderson, of Vineburg, and Frank Allen, tonsorial artist of said village, when the charge of disturbing the peace brought by Anderson was heard in court here Thursday. It appears that the barber and the postmaster mixed it and during the altercations almost came to blows. Instead Anderson blew into town and had Allen arrested. The barber pleaded not guilty and asked for a speedy hearing. The Judge accommodated him, heard the evidence and dismissed defendant.

CHIEF OF POLICE JACK HARPER IN GUN BATTLE

Chief of Police John Harper of Burlingame who will be remembered by Sonoma Valley residents as a fine looking young lad from Schellville district, who went to school at San Luis when a boy, had a gun battle with a burglar last Saturday morning in which the robber was shot and killed.

Exchanging shots with a police posse at dawn, an unidentified burglar was slain after he had attempted to loot two fashionable homes in Burlingame.

Two hours later, the dead body bearing 10 bullets was found in the shrubbery of the home of William C. Ewing, wealthy San Francisco and New York banker.

Responding to a telephone call from John F. Meyers, Southern Pacific official, 1224 Vancouver avenue, Chief of Police John J. Harper, accompanied by a posse, encountered the bandit as he was leaving the home of Ewing, 2013 Easton avenue, in Ewing's machine. He jumped from the car after a short chase and sought refuge in the shrubbery, firing at the police as he ran. They returned the fire while a score of wealthy residents, awakened by the volley, looked on from a distance.

The dead man's pockets revealed pawn tickets issued on Friday of last week from San Francisco shops, covering diamonds and jewelry stolen, according to Chief Harper.

A card index, containing names of wealthy residents of Burlingame and Long Beach was also found.

Membership cards in the Maryland Club and Our Club, made out to E. Herron and E. Harry, were also taken from the pockets.

Efforts to identify the bandit failed. An inquest was held by Coroner W. A. Brooks. He is described as being 38, 5 feet 8 inches tall, smooth shaven, well dressed, and he had brown hair and eyes.

Chief Harper took fingerprints of the dead man in an effort to identify him through the Bertillon system.

Harper was formerly in the San Francisco detective bureau at the Hall of Justice and later studied law and was admitted to the bar. His skill as a criminalist won the admiration of Peninsular residents who prevailed upon him to accept the position of chief of police of Burlingame.

Manufacture of Port and Sherry For Eastern Shipment Will Start On Monday

Sam Sebastiani, whose immense Sonoma winery and cellars have been practically inoperative for many months, has received a government permit to manufacture and ship fortified medicinal wines to Eastern bonded warehouses of Chicago, New Jersey and New York. Thousands of gallons of red and white wine which have been tied up, with no outlet or market, will now be converted into port and sherry at the Sonoma plant.

Manufacture of brandy for the fortification of the wines will be under the supervision of a government inspector who is already here, having been sent by the Internal Revenue Department to see that requirements governing the

manufacture and shipment of the port and sherry is in strict accordance with the law.

The resumption of operation of the Sonoma winery and distillery will be a great relief to wine men of the valley whose former valuable products have been tied up and practically worthless since prohibition padlocked their cellars. Sebastiani plans to buy from other wine makers who have stock on hand as soon as he exhausts his own supply. Famous Sonoma vintages will thus be released into regular and legal channels which hitherto have been open largely to imported wines, an evident injustice to the American producers.

THE BABY CHICK SITUATION SERIOUS

Utah lifted the ban on shipments of baby chicks, but is considering putting the embargo on again. Fred Hansen of the Sonoma Valley Hatchery shipped several thousand to customers in that state this week, but has a big hatch coming off next week, which may be held up. He is therefore advertising bargain prices on his certified stock in this issue of the Index-Tribune, which is a big opportunity for poultrymen.

The ban put on by Utah is due to fresh outbreaks of the hoof and mouth cattle epidemic in Merced county.

WHY FIRE DISTRICT SHOULD BE CREATED

1. Because it will give you fire protection throughout Sonoma Valley.
 2. It will decrease insurance rates, and help to upbuild the valley, as it will show the people there is some progression in Sonoma Valley.
 3. It will give the outlying districts a fire apparatus nearer to them, which in many cases may be the means of saving life and property.
 4. It will save the willing contributors to the fire department and make all others that want fire protection pay their pro rata.
 5. There will be more discipline in a paid fire department, which will produce better results.
 6. It will give you three fire commissioners who will have the power to regulate all fire hazards, such as clearing off of grass, rubbish, and regulate fire dangers in buildings, etc., as well as to attend to all things in connection with the fire department.
 7. It means that there will be always some one on duty at the fire house to answer all calls of fire promptly, thereby saving much delay which might otherwise arise.
 8. It may be the means some day of saving a great loss of property, and possibly life, so it is best to be prepared at all times.
- Remember the date for voting is Monday, April 7th, from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. The voting place will be the Boyes Springs fire house. If you want fire protection, vote yes. If not, vote no.
- Do your duty by voting yes.
A PROPERTY OWNER

SURPRISE PARTY AT ENGLISH HOME

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe English at Sonoma Vista was the scene of a jolly surprise birthday party in honor of Mr. English's birthday last Saturday night. The congenial guests enjoyed a fine dinner with the host and hostess. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Abele, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyer, Mr. Pankhurst, Mrs. Randolph, J. Gross, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Lambert, Mrs. Braunbeck of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. O. Rotermundt, Mr. and Mrs. Schillinger of Napa, Adolph Kuhn, and Mr. and Mrs. English.

MAY EXTEND SEWER SYSTEM TO TIDEWATER

Following complaints which have been lodged from time to time by property owners in the vicinity of Sonoma's municipal sewer farm, the State Board of Health was recently invited by the City Trustees to send a representative here to inspect the plant and make recommendations and findings in regard to its condition. The sewer farm, located several miles south of town, has been found to be a satisfactory system of taking care of and disposing of local sewage, the only problem being the surplus drainage which comes from the septic tank as a clear stream of water after it has gone through the chemical process used in the dissolution and purification of the sewage.

This water has been carried off by a creek and while not offensive, has been long regarded as objectionable by property owners living along the stream, particularly those who own stock.

The State Board of Health recently sent a representative here to investigate as requested by the city fathers, and in a communication received since the official's visit, the board has been advised that the city must carry the surplus water to tide-water. When the sewer farm was located in its present confines, the present problem was foreseen and provisions made to eventually carry the sewage residue to tide-water. The building of a pipe system extending underground along a preliminary survey already on file is all, therefore, that will be required to

Native Sons Win Basket Ball Series

The basket ball game between the Native Sons and Y. M. I. last Tuesday night decided the local championship. The Y. M. I. won the first game of the series and the Native Sons the second, although the second game was in their favor by the close margin of 19 to 18.

With a winning score to the credit of each organization, the third and deciding game was played Tuesday, when the score was 25 to 19 in favor of the Native Sons.

The Y. M. I. team featured Joe Keiser and John Steiner, while the Native Sons team divided honors about equally.

RALPH HOTZ NEW HIGH SCHOOL TRUSTEE

Yesterday the school elections, both high school and elementary, were held in the various districts.

In the Sonoma Valley Union High School District Fred Helberg was re-elected to succeed himself on the board, while the second vacancy caused by the passing of the late Dr. Hays was filled by the election of Ralph Hotz, local merchant and head of the Sonoma Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Hotz, the new member of the high school board, believes that the old school property should be utilized and will make an effort to stimulate renewed interest in it for either a hospital or apartment house. The old high school plant was offered for sale by the previous board, but a deal whereby a purchaser was to take it over fell through.

Mr. Hotz, when interviewed on his new duties, said he did not believe that it was within the rights of a school trustee to censor charming school marms who desired to wear bobbed hair or shave their necks. Further than this he was non-committal on his future policies, but his friends are confident he will make an efficient and conscientious member of the board.

The Sonoma Grammar School trustee elected was Frank Wedekind who had been filling the vacancy caused by the death of Philip Bill. Mr. Wedekind was appointed by County Superintendent Clark, and was renamed yesterday by the people of the district to serve on the board, of which he is a valued member.

The consolidated districts of the upper Sonoma Valley had a lively contest between Messrs. Johnson and Justi.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Weltz (nee Neucum) surprised the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Neucum, last Sunday, when they drove up from Martinez for a nice visit. Mr. Weltz is employed by the Shell Oil Company at Martinez.

meet the mandate of the State Board of Health.

The Board of City Trustees have sent the communications relative to the subject to their attorney in San Francisco, who will advise them of the necessary procedure in order to follow out the requirements outlined.

MRS. CATHERINE POPPE ENJOYS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Many Friends Congratulate Prominent Lady Who Is Nearing the Century Milestone.

Mrs. Catherine Poppe, retired lady merchant and pioneer mother of the Sonoma Valley, celebrated her ninety-fifth birthday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Kate Buchan, on Tuesday. The party was the usual informal reception with friends and relatives dropping in throughout the afternoon to congratulate the esteemed old resident and shower her with lovely flowers, plants and gifts.

Mrs. Poppe, wearing a becoming gray dress and a pretty pink rose, received her friends most cordially, assisted by her children and grandchildren. Among the former was her eldest son, Charles Poppe of Glen Ellen, who also celebrated his forty-first wedding anniversary Tuesday. Mrs. Poppe's birthday is also the birthday of her grandson, Carl Poppe, of San Francisco, so it is a general day of rejoicing, although this year saddened by the broken family circle, a son, the late Robert A. Poppe and grandson, Ralph Buchan, having passed to the Great Beyond to await a reunion with their loved ones there.

Mrs. Poppe, who is nearing the century milestone of her active life, evinced a keen interest in her birthday this year and seems to realize that a ninety-fifth anniversary is worth celebrating. The annual custom of honoring the day was therefore carried out

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HUNTER CANDIDATE FOR CITY TREASURER

The many friends of Rea Barron Hunter, general manager for F. Duhring, were surprised at the announcement this week that he would be a candidate for city treasurer of Sonoma. Mr. Hunter had been importuned to run for the office, but his decision to make the race was not generally known until after the filing of his papers with the city clerk Tuesday.

Hunter is an experienced and capable business man, who has been in the employ of the Duhring firm for the past 20 years. Three years ago he was promoted to manager of the big business concern, Mr. Duhring, head of the firm, having had to drop active mercantile pursuits on account of his health. Mr. Hunter has conducted the store very successfully and declares he will give the same attention to the city's business as he does to his own. He says he not the candidate of any faction or business interest, and will be fair and impartial in all matters pertaining to the handling of the funds of the municipality.

Mr. Hunter will make the race with City Treasurer Clewe, present incumbent and candidate for re-election.

Mrs. Will Cummings of Eureka came up Monday from San Francisco to visit her mother and brothers. She had been visiting her two daughters in San Francisco prior to coming to Sonoma.

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EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

Mrs. J. Dutil of San Francisco is spending several weeks at her Sonoma Valley home.

Mrs. F. Carmer was a passenger for Bencia Sunday to spend the day with relatives.

Galbraith & Janes, state highway contractors, have received several car loads of steel and other material at the local S. P. yards.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kuhlman of Oregon have taken up their residence in one of the West cottages near the El Verano Villa. Mr. Kuhlman, a plumber, has built a shop near their residence and put out his shingle.

Miss M. Dati, charming young lady of San Francisco, was the guest of her sister here Sunday, returning home on Monday.

Have you registered? But seven days remain during which time you can get on the great register. Next Saturday evening, April 5th, the books close. In order to vote at the May primaries, you must register, and as this is a presidential primary, don't fail to vote.

Charles Blomstrom is putting up a garage next to his residence on Nob Hill.

Miss Doris Nonella, popular San Francisco "hello girl" was a guest of El Verano relatives Sunday.

Mrs. J. LaFranchi, after a several days' visit with bay city relatives, has returned home.

Father Rickard, padre of the rain, promised a rain storm on Monday, March 24th, and his prognostication was correct. Agriculturists were happy Saturday when the long-hoped-for rain, which had been doubtful, started to come down. This rain has saved California a dry year and the loss of abundant crops, which the great state produces each year. Snow fell on the western foothills Monday. The

rainfall up to Tuesday morning measured .76 inches, making a total for the season of 12.98 inches.

M. F. Mullen, agent for all the San Francisco dailies, has received the agency for the San Francisco Herald. This newspaper is getting many new subscribers and it looks like the new Vanderbilt daily would be a big success. The picture space in the paper is popular with readers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Durant, pioneer Valley of the Moon settlers residing in Sonoma, passed through El Verano Saturday morning enroute to Sparks, Nevada, to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cheney, former Sonoma residents.

Mrs. Bomhoff, after a pleasant visit with El Verano relatives, returned to her Santa Rosa home last Saturday.

Prominent citizens from Sonoma transacting business here last Saturday were Supervisor Fred Lowell and Randal McDonnell.

T. Corcoran, popular Agua Caliente Hotel owner, was in town last Saturday meeting many old time friends.

William Sutter has resigned from the U. S. Army and has been visiting home folks. Mr. Sutter is a veteran army man and has several medals.

Miss Mabel Nonella is on a several days' vacation from San Francisco at the Nonella home.

Charles Fochs of Sonoma Vista who has been seriously ill, is up and around again. His any friends are glad to know that he is on the mend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Adams, after spending some time in Sonoma Valley, returned to Kentville last Saturday, where Adams is N. W. P. station agent.

The Agua Caliente plunge has been filled and any swimmers are taking advantage of the spring days. Bathing in the large tank during the vacation months, during the day and evening, affords great pleasure to many Sonoma Valley vacationists.

A fast game of ball was played at the Convent grounds Sunday between the Sonoma Outlaws and the El Verano Bandits, resulting in a score of 6 to 2 in favor of the Bandits. Henry Danielli pitched for El Verano while the receiver was A. Geosapacy. The battery for the opposing team was Joe Matza and George Reed. The game was full of pep, all the players showing considerable class. Emile Cornelius umpired the game and his decisions were all good. A large crowd of lovers of the great national game was on hand to cheer the ball tossers on to victory.

"Bobbed hair is a sure way of causing baldness and it won't be many years before the world is filled with bald-headed women," says Joseph Byrne, editor of a beauty magazine, in addressing the annual convention of the American Master Hair Dressers Association in New York City. Charles Nestle, vice president of the association, said hair bobbing was the greatest misfortune to befall woman in many years.

Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan, and Constable John Mohr were in town Sunday afternoon on official business.

Mrs. George Bruns, who resides in Hayward, was the guest of the Galb over Sunday.

The state highway contractors have established a camp on the Baron tract having moved from Schellville. A large crew of men is rushing the work to completion.

Former Fire Chief Tom Muldowney of San Francisco is sinking a well and otherwise improving his property on the famous Nob Hill district in western El Verano.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Parente motored up from San Francisco Sunday to look over property interests at Verano.

Mrs. W. A. Walsh of Mayfield was the guest of Mr. Walsh, who resides at Verano, over the week end.

DANCING CLASS IS MAKING PROGRESS

Little Miss Alfreda Smith, young dancing teacher, has established a nice class at Fetters Springs and her pupils are doing so well that she plans an exhibition in the near future, when all her understudies will appear in interpretative dances with fancy costumes. Boys and girls are in the class and some of the little folks take private lessons.

NEWLYWEDS TO RESIDE AT THE STOFEN HOME

The attractive Stofen residence on Broadway which has recently been converted into two apartments, will be occupied shortly by Will H. Smith and bride of Berkeley. Mr. Smith is an engineer on the new state highway and is to be married April 21st at a big church wedding in Oakland.

Miss Stofen, owner of the property to be the home of the newlyweds, will occupy the upper part of the residence and has equipped her apartment with an electric range and other conveniences.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johansen, former residents of Sonoma, are now located at Oakland.

NOTICE TO CARNIVAL PROGRAM SUBSCRIBERS

All who have signed up for space in the official program of the Boyes Springs Carnival are requested to kindly send in copy for their space at once.

THOMAS McMANN,
Publicity Committee, of
Boyes Springs Improvement Club.

The California Packing Company, which has 6000 acres of experimental farm land at Ignacio, Marin county, has decided to erect a \$50,000 cannery on its land at that place to can peas and other vegetables. The cannery will be erected at once in order to take care of this year's crop. The cannery will also handle the crops of the ranchers in the district.

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HAS IDEA TO BRING TOURISTS

Francis Bushey, who has been a government employee in the Islands many years and has recently retired to his country home at Agua Caliente, is trying to interest Sonoma

Valley in a plan to bring tourists here from the East throughout the winter. His idea would be to establish a bureau in cities of the East and to book excursion parties for a personally conducted trip throughout the real West, including Sonoma Valley. From here parties would be taken to the natural wonder and beauty spots of Sonoma county. Mr. Bushey suggests that tourists be routed from Sacramento here and then on their homeward journey go to San Francisco and through the South.

Mr. Bushey points out that the plan would have to be financed by local promotion bodies and that the hotels of the valley would have to equip themselves for the handling of winter guests.

He expects to present his plan in detail at some future meeting of the Sonoma Valley Improvement Club.

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CLASS IN METHODS OF TEACHING FOREIGNERS

The first meeting of the University Extension class in methods of teaching English to Foreigners will be held Saturday morning, March 29, in the high school annex, Santa Rosa, at 10:15 o'clock.

Miss Ethel Swain, University Extension lecturer, will be the instructor.

The course will carry two units of university credit which may be applied as two of the six units required for the special Americanization credential. It is hoped at a later date to give the courses for the four remaining units required for the credential. Anyone wishing to complete the work this summer may do so by taking the additional courses at the summer sessions of the University of California or the San Francisco State Teachers' College.

This work is of special interest to elementary teachers who wish to increase their field of teaching possibilities, as well as to those who are engaged in this type of work. The course is open to anyone who is interested in Americanization and all interested persons are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Durant left Saturday morning for a visit with Nevada relatives.

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JOHNSON NOT THE MAN

Trying to "put over" Hiram Johnson as a presidential candidate is time and money wasted. The jolt Hiram got in several states must have upset the bristling Californian whose sole hope now is to impress the nation that he is a simon-pure politician while all the rest are "just politicians or grafters." Some of us have not forgotten, however, that Senator Johnson has not always been on the job at Washington, but went trotting off to New York to handle the affairs of a big traction company while he was supposed to be representing California at the national capitol. A big fee from the traction company compensated Hiram for the loss of the Senator's time. It was all very regular, of course, if it was put over by a Progressive, but most Californians agree that a man like Calvin Coolidge who attends strictly to business, sponsors economy and is not given to quite so many hysterical and radical outbursts

is the proper man to nominate for president at this critical time in the nation. A radical in the White House right now could shake the democracy to its foundation and precipitate the worst kind of calamity.

THE PROHIBITION SITUATION

The prohibition situation in the United States has not been improved by revelations of the past few weeks wherein citizens have glimpsed the possibilities and actual advantages taken by government officials to graft through the sale of liquor removal permits and other avenues which a dry America has opened up to rascals.

We are told that officials who have taken the oath of high office are involved in the corruption fest and beside the higher-ups, that others have been dishonest, including several hundred prohibition agents dismissed within a few months time for taking bribes or being mixed up in shady transactions. Not only these, but a

high Anti-Saloon League mogul also got in the shade and is now doing time at Sing-Sing.

These wrongs do not make a right, of course, and dishonesty does not excuse further dishonesty and violation, but the shameful expose proves the further impracticability of national prohibition and its injustice. If we cannot get men who will handle the prohibition program honestly we had better not put temptation of this sort in their path. The present arrangement makes rich opportunity for grafters. A new field has been opened up by liquor restrictions which invites corruption of the worst sort, for liquor was unrestricted so long that it is hard to impress men now that its use is a crime. This attitude undermines the structure of government which is weakened by the disrespect for the law all the way down the line from the Department of Justice to the most obscure individual. How can lukewarm enthusiasts, to say nothing of new citizens, be expected or made to respect a law which officials themselves flout, who have "honorable" before their names and prestige of reputation?

What are good Americans going to do about it? Insist on more rigid enforcement, break the country trying to do it, further reveal the dishonest and disrespectful attitude of a majority of citizenship toward this constitutional appendix, or repeal and revise the unwise liquor legislation which has brought about unprecedented lawlessness and upheaval at home and ridicule abroad?

A writer in the recent Collier contest in which the magazine offered a \$1000 prize for the best essay on the present situation seems to glimpse the give-and-take necessity of this crisis and prescribes for it. The first prize letter brought out the following pertinent points and emphasized excellent suggestions, as follows:

"Let us assume that the Eighteenth Amendment is immutable. Cannot a constitutional, common-sense, workable program be arrived at that shall conserve the good national prohibition has accomplished, and do away with some of the evils that have followed 'enforcement'? Remedy lies with:

"1. The Citizen—If I patronize the bootleggers, I cannot decry rum-running, bribery, jury-fixing or official corruption. Whatever the law, I must obey.

"2. The citizen at the Polls—If my hands are clean, if I respect the law, and if with me the majority consistently vote to rebuke officials who hold law in contempt, by degrees executives may find it prudent to pay heed to sworn duty. Slow business, but it harmonizes with the American theory. We must be educated in our conscience.

"3. The Executive—I find it difficult to idealize any President who, with machinery for law enforcement and presumably a certain degree of authority, winks at notorious corruption. Why not focus responsibility?

"4. The Congress—Congress has power to remove offensive, irritant, impertinent provisions from the Volstead Act—provisions that invite violation. Make the act enforceable.

"Subject to constitutionality, I submit these suggestions:

"Concentrate repressive effort upon unauthorized manufacture and distribution of distilled liquors. Permit manufacture and sale in original containers of wines and beer of higher alcoholic content than now permitted. Forbid resale. Forbid sale of alcoholic beverages (including near-beer) for consumption on premises. Remove restriction on home brewing and wine making.

"If any State wants to be drier, it has the privilege."

"Safety first" is a good slogan which can be put into effect Monday, April 7, when you can guard against fire by voting for the creation of the new fire district. Cast your vote at the Boyes Springs fire house.

Why pay tribute to a Superstition?

The idea that "eastern" motor oils—merely because they cost more—are in some mysterious way "better" is just as baseless as the superstition about the black cat crossing the road, illustrated above.

Automotive engineers have long recognized that the most suitable crude petroleum so far discovered from which to manufacture a motor oil is produced on the Pacific Coast. It is Naphthenic Base Crude.

"Thinning Down" an Advantage

The motor oil (Zerolene) which is refined from this crude has characteristics somewhat different from those of eastern paraffine base oils. It "thins down" more rapidly for one thing, and this fact is often cited against it. But this is really an advantage instead of a defect. Because it thins down more rapidly, it reaches an effective lubricating body sooner, and follows more closely the changing bearing clearances of the engine as it warms up.

Highway Commission Finds the Facts

Some time ago the engineers of the California State Highway Commission decided to subject this anti-western bogie to the brutal test of actual comparison. Read the summary of these tests, printed in the 1921 Biennial Report of the California State Highway Commission:

"Although thinning out more rapidly, the (western) oil does not show any greater breaking down under high working temperatures than the (eastern) oil, nor was there any greater deposit of carbon. Neither did the viscosity after use increase or decrease any more in the case of one than in the other."

A Better Oil Even if It Does Cost Less

Zerolene, because we employ only selected crude and hold the patents on our high-vacuum refining process, is, we are convinced, one of the most carefully manufactured oils on the market, whether of eastern or western origin. Yet it costs about one-third less than eastern oil.

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REBEKAHS HAD A

FINE CARD PARTY

The RebeKAhs had a very successful card party on Friday night of last week at I. O. O. F. hall, fourteen tables participating.

Prizes were won by the following ladies and gentlemen:

Mrs. O. Lund, first lady's prize.
Fred Hansen, first man's prize.
Miss Cora Adams, consolation.
Colonel Stewart, consolation.
Refreshments and dancing concluded the party.

New Money

Necessary for the Development of

New Projects

YOU recall that the P G and E is not permitted to earn "profits" in excess of an "interest return" on the reasonable value of the necessary properties.

You ask, "How, then, does the Company build new plants, develop projects and make needed extensions?"

By the sale of stocks and bonds!

Whenever it is considered to the best interests of the Public to provide additional service facilities, the matter is brought to the attention of the State Railroad Commission.

If the commission approves the plans (and their financial soundness as they pertain to the Company as a whole) the kind of securities agreed upon are offered for public sale.

This Company cannot build plants, etc., out of its earnings, for its rates heretofore made, only pay cost of help, materials, taxes; and permit a fair interest return on the reasonable cost of the properties used!

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NOVELTY DANCE AT
STUDIO AUDITORIUM

The second dance to be given at the big studio pavilion, formerly Coney Island, will be held in Saturday evening, April 5th. The same committee which conducted the successful dance last Saturday night is in charge of the arrangements. The Sonoma Photo Play Corporation has made the big pavilion available for a series of dances and as the floor is one of the best in Sonoma county, large attendance from this and nearby cities is expected. Les's Jazz Kings, popular with lovers of good jazz, will be on the rostrum with the latest dance hits.

COOPS MAY SHIP
CHERRIES APRIL 20th

Coops Brothers, Sonoma Valley orchardists, have the prospects of a good cherry crop this season and from present indications will make a shipment East by April 20th.

An extensive irrigation system is being put in at the Coops ranch under the direction of University of California experts.

SARTORI AND FILIPPINI
RANCHES LOST CHICKENS

Poultry thieves are operating in the vicinity of Petaluma and during the past few weeks have caused big losses to poultrymen. Sunday night they visited the Otto Wohlers ranch in Two Rock Valley and stole 200 broilers, which were ready for market and valued at 51c a pound.

Monday night the thieves visited the M. Filippini ranch near the San Antonio bridge, taking 20 Rhode Island Red hens. The same night they robbed the A. Sartori ranch on the Lakeville highway, taking more than 75 one-year-old hens.

The thefts were reported to Chief of Police Flohr of Petaluma, who with Constable James Sullivan investigated.

The officers found that trucks had been used to cart away the poultry, the tracks leading to the ranches being very noticeable. A few weeks ago a ranch in Vallejo township was visited by thieves and poultry was stolen. The officers are of the opinion that the same parties are responsible for the thefts during the past few nights. A watch is being kept and every effort made to apprehend the thieves.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cambau are the parents of a new baby boy, born last week. Dr. A. M. Thomson was in attendance.

MRS. POPPE CELEBRATES
NINETY-FIFTH BIRTHDAY

(Continued from Page One)

and all who participated in the birthday party felt honored to bestow congratulations on Sonoma's beloved pioneer. The Order of Eastern Star, Valley of the Moon Chapter, of which Mrs. Poppe is a charter member, sent Worthy Matron Hattie Breitenbach and a delegation of members to greet their respected sister and present her with a lovely fern basket as a token of their esteem.

During the afternoon coffee, sandwiches and delicious cakes, including a fine birthday cake, were served.

Among those who participated in the ninety-fifth birthday party were Miss Stofen, Mr. and Mrs. Burmester, Mrs. Fred Helberg, Rev. S. E. Crowe, D. M. Crowe, Mrs. Annie Poppe, Mrs. A. R. Grinstead and son, Miss Edna Cooper, Mrs. Fannie Cooper, Charles J. Poppe, Miss Amy Poppe, Miss Inez Reed, Mrs. Crowe, Mrs. Buchan, Mrs. George Breitenbach, Mrs. Martha Poppe, Mrs. Emma Small, Mrs. Rena Bulotti and son, A. R. Grinstead, Rev. Cookman, Miss Gillan, Lester Small, Joseph Small, Miss Gladys Small, Mrs. Carrie Burlingame, Mrs. Hannah Appleton, Miss Kate McDonnell, and Miss Moranda.

To grow old gracefully like our dear friend,

To "carry on" cheerfully unto the end,

To live for a century in real content,

Is surely a life that has been well spent.

To have friends around you and loved ones more dear,

To greet every birthday with wishes sincere,

To give you a party and clasp of the hand,

Makes living worth while in this God-given land.

The journey thus far has been long, but a pleasure,

And memory of her we ever will treasure.

I think Father Time is a friend of our guest

And believes she's a credit to him and the rest.

And right Father Time is, Let us hope the perennial

Will end in a grand party—Mrs. Poppe's centennial.

—C. G. M.

SANTA ROSA BUSINESS
COLLEGE REUNION

The thirty-third annual reunion and home coming of the alumni of the Santa Rosa Business College will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall in Santa Rosa April 25th. There will be vaudeville stunts, musical numbers, refreshments and dancing. Rafor W. Leggett, president, and Miss Eleanor Cockburn, secretary of the association have sent cards to all members they were able to reach. Each member is entitled to invite a guest for the evening.

HATCHERY MAN
THANKS CUSTOMERS

I take this means of expressing my appreciation of the splendid co-operation given me by the poultrymen of Sonoma Valley, Napa and Santa Rosa during the embargo. Through the interest and help of my customers, I was able to dispose of all my hatches while awaiting the lifting of the quarantine in outside states. Appreciation of my stock by people who know Sonoma Valley Hatchery chicks best speaks for itself.

FRED J. HANSEN.

Kramer's Store

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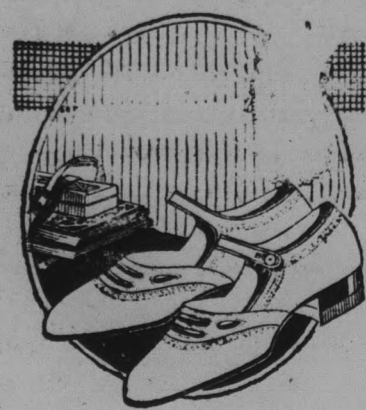
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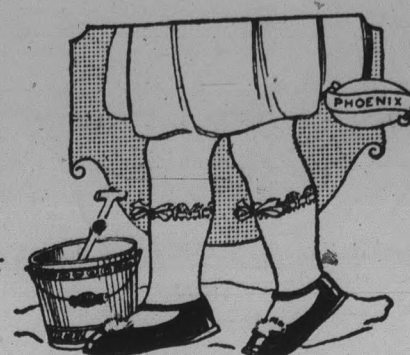
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The M. E. Ladies' Aid had a delightful meeting at the home of Mrs. Erasmus last week.

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THE SONOMA VALLEY IMPROVEMENT CLUB

The Sonoma Valley Improvement Club held its regular meeting March 25th, President White in the chair.

The report of the dance committee showed a large advance sale of tickets for the highway celebration dance at Fettes Hall on Saturday, March 29 much greater than anticipated. Consequently preparations are being made to handle a large crowd.

Franklin Bushey made an interesting talk on the tourist problem, advocating sending a representative East and inaugurating a system of giving the tourists on their way a panoramic view of the great West, visiting the principal scenic and historical places, winding up with a two weeks stay in the Valley of the Moon. The idea is a good one and worthy of consideration. The sooner the traveling public realizes we have in our midst medicinal hot springs that are incomparable and surpass the famous Baden Baden and Weis Baden and other of the continent, the sooner they will understand their curative value coupled with a climate second to none, and right at home, too. Such a scheme if properly handled would boost the Valley and place it where it belongs in a prominent place on the map of the United States.

CLUB REPORTER.

Sensational Salad Oil prices at Batto's Sonoma Store.—adv.

FREE GASOLINE

Will the gentleman who drives a Studebaker touring car who bought five gallons of gasoline at our Service Station, and only got a cupful, please call and get what is coming to him?

Call at 5 o'clock any day, ask for Bradford, and get your gasoline.

The trade suddenly doubled up and "we had no gasoline to sell," but did not discover it until the next customer pulled in.

Jersey Dairy Service Station, adv. C. C. Champlin, Prop.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the purpose of electing three Fire Commissioners for the Valley of the Moon Fire District, Sonoma County, State of California; and that the seventh (7th) day of April, 1924, has been appointed as the day on which said election shall be held; that the building known as the Doyes Springs Fire House, Sonoma County, State of California, has been selected and will be the place where the electors shall cast their votes between the hours of 8 A. M. and 6 P. M. on said day.

All electors residing within the fire limits fixed by the Board of Fire Commissioners are eligible to vote at said election; the said fire limits are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the Rancho Agua Caliente being the intersection of the Easterly line of Rancho Agua Caliente with the center line of Agua Caliente Creek; thence along the Easterly line of said Rancho to the Northeast corner of Rancho Agua Caliente; thence in a Westerly direction to the Northwest corner of Rancho Agua Caliente; being the intersection of the Easterly line of the Rancho Agua Caliente with the center line of Calabazas Creek; thence down stream along the meanderings of the center line of Calabazas Creek to the center of Warm Springs Road, a County Road leading from Glen Ellen to Santa Rosa, said point being the intersection of the center line of Calabazas Creek with the center line of Warm Springs Road; thence Northwesterly along the center line of the said Warm Springs Road to a point where said center line intersects the Easterly line of Lot 9 (as shown on the Official Map of Sonoma County) in Rancho Los Guilecos said point being the Northwest corner of the E. O'Donnell thirty-seven acre tract; thence Southwesterly along the Easterly line of said Lot 9 to the center of Sonoma Creek; thence down stream along the meanderings of the center line of Sonoma Creek to the center line of Graham Creek; thence up stream along the meanderings of the center line of Graham Creek to a point where said creek intersects the Easterly line of the Petaluma Rancho; thence along the Easterly line of the Petaluma Rancho in an Easterly direction to the Northwesterly corner of lands of the Sonoma State Home; thence in a Southeastly direction along the Easterly boundary line of the lands of the Sonoma State Home, of the Susan B. Malone 734.0 acre tract, of the Adolph Spreckels 807.41 acre tract, of the Margaret Denahy 269.4 acre tract to the Southeastly corner of the said Margaret Denahy tract; thence Northwesterly along the Easterly boundary line of the said Margaret Denahy tract to the Northwesterly corner of the Jno. O'Brien 412.50 acre tract; thence Southeastly along the Easterly line of said Jno. O'Brien tract to the center line of a County Road leading from said last mentioned point to the Northwesterly corner of the Town of El Verano; thence along the center of said County Road to the Northwesterly corner of the Town of El Verano; thence continuing along the center of said County Road along the Western boundary of the Town of El Verano to the Southwesterly corner of the Town of El Verano; thence continuing along said County Road along the Easterly side of Rachel Snyder 577.0 acre tract to the Southwesterly corner of Rachel Snyder tract; thence Southwesterly along the center of said County Road to the Northwesterly corner of the Charles Ramelli 83.6 acre tract; thence Southeastly along the center of said County Road to the intersection of said road with the Sonoma-Napa State Highway; thence in a Northwesterly direction along the Sonoma-Napa State Highway to a point where said highway intersects the center line of Arroyo Seco; thence up stream along the meanderings of the center line of Arroyo Seco to the Northeastly corner of Out-Lot 501 of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma; thence along the Northwesterly line of Out-Lots 501, 502, 503 of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma to a point in the Easterly boundary line of the City of Sonoma; thence Southwesterly along said Easterly boundary line of the City of Sonoma to the Southeastly corner of the City of Sonoma; thence Westerly to the Southwesterly corner of the City of Sonoma; thence Northwesterly to the Northwesterly corner of the City of Sonoma; thence Easterly along the Northwesterly boundary line of the City of Sonoma to the Southwesterly corner of the L. V. Empanan and M. V. Cutter 164.0 acre tract; thence Northwesterly along the Westerly line along the said Empanan and Cutter 164.0 acre tract to the Northwesterly corner of said tract, said corner being also in the Northwesterly boundary line of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma; thence Northwesterly along the Northwesterly line of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma to the center of Agua Caliente Creek; thence up stream along the meanderings of the center line of Agua Caliente Creek to the place of beginning.

Dated March 19, 1924, Valley of the Moon Fire District, Sonoma County, State of California.

THOS. H. CORCORAN, ERNEST A. WAGNER, EMMET MULLEN.

Board of Fire Commissioners of the Valley of the Moon Fire District, Sonoma County, State of California.

VINEBURG NEWS

"Buddie" Batto, who has been quite ill for the past few weeks is now convalescent and his many friends will be glad to see him out.

Miss Kate Bosch of Napa was the week end guest of her mother at the old home.

D. Volquardsen, the well known artesian well driller, is boring a well on the Henry Rubke place and if there is any water to be had, he will get it.

Our genial tonsorial artist, Frank Allen, who has been ill for a while, is now on deck again. Frank is a mighty handy man to have around when a fellow wants his face fixed.

Ernest Figue of San Francisco, well known to the young set of Sonoma Valley and a popular boy, was the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Batto, on Sunday.

It was with much interest as well as admiration that I read the item in the El Verano news of last week's Index-Tribune, penned by my old friend and fellow reporter, Archie McKiver. Sure, Archie, we are still friends, but how did you ever get me mixed up with Sam Rutter? Why, he isn't in my class, at all, and I am glad of it. And none of my fair assistants will hardly speak to me. Archie, you have been unsinkable. Don't think for a minute that Old Sam could make a "dolly" out of Easy Jim, because that would not fit in with my political principles, and for another thing, I would not double-cross the old guard. I would just remark—

Some folks think it's utterly utter, To get a job under Sam Rutter. They have nothing to loose, And there's money in booze, And that makes their hungry hearts flutter.

SEBASTIANI SAYS CANNERY MAN WAS COSTLY

Sam Sebastiani, proprietor of the cannery east of town, declares that M. Cogliandro will have a hard time proving his case for damages against him, as Cogliandro, through incompetence, caused actual loss at the big plant in 1922. Cogliandro, plaintiff in a suit recently filed, alleged that he had money due him from the Sebastiani cannery where he was formerly employed as a superintendent.

Sebastiani states that he was to pay a percentage of the profits of the cannery to Cogliandro, but discovered the latter did not know his business and could not make good.

MISS ADELINE WIRTZ ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Miss Adeline Wirtz, the popular young lady employee of the Central Bank, was hostess at a delightful party Thursday evening. The home was attractively decorated and artistic hand painted place cards were the work of Miss Wirtz's talented sister, Miss Emma. A delicious repast, music and games made up a very pleasant evening.

MRS. WARD HAS AN EVENTFUL TRIP

At a tea recently given at the home of Mrs. Anderson, a most interesting clipping from a Montreal newspaper was read telling of the long trip made by Mrs. F. N. Ward from her home in Kenwood to Canada, and through that vast territory to the Atlantic seaboard. Mrs. Ward covered 6000 miles alone in her car, stopping at night wherever it found her, and sleeping in the tonneau of her car. She never had occasion to fear anything and spoke in the most glowing terms of the wonderful scenery and the Canadian people, the story relates. She traveled in a 1917 car with out engine trouble of any kind, and only three punctures. At present Mrs. Ward is in France with her car, and will travel through many countries before she returns.

PETALUMA CLUB WOMEN CONDUCT PROGRAM HERE

At a well attended meeting of Sonoma Valley Woman's Club on Friday of last week the members of the Petaluma club put on an excellent program, the occasion being Reciprocity Day.

Mrs. R. L. Watt, recently elected president of the Sonoma club, called the meeting to order, introducing Mrs. William Clewe as program director. Mrs. Ralph Hotz was hostess of the afternoon.

EASTER WEEK SPECIAL

Easter week there will be a special display of real rabbits at Batto's Sonoma Store. All children accompanied by their parents who visit the store Easter week can see the bunnies and may also participate in the free distribution of Easter eggs to be given away during those days.

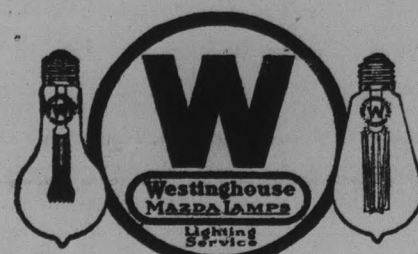
The Sonoma Vista Club announces its regular dance and card party on April 5th.

Johnny Moore, formerly a roadhouse keeper of this valley, was raided by deputy sheriffs at his new place near Santa Rosa Saturday. The raid was unsuccessful.

The estate of the late R. C. Waller \$13,400. It consists largely of acre of Schellville has been appraised at age in Sonoma Valley.

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31x4	Cord	\$18.25
32x4	Cord	\$19.90
33x4	Cord	\$20.50
34x4	Cord	\$21.05
30x3	Tubes	\$ 1.55
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UNIVERSITY FARM
PICNIC ABANDONED

Fearing that the crowds attending the annual picnic at the University of California farm on April 19th might carry germs of the foot and mouth disease to the prize live stock owned by the university, officials of the agricultural school Saturday ordered that the plans for the picnic be abandoned. According to Assistant Dean E. C. Voorhies, the danger of the epidemic spreading to the stock at Davis has made the decision necessary.

LISTEN, DAN TOTHEROH
IS GOING TO BE HERE

The players of the new Pacific Coast broadcasting station, KGO, of the General Electric Company, with Dan Totheroh in the stellar role, will return to the air on Saturday evening, April 5th, and offer a three-act comedy, "It Pays to Advertise," by Walter Hackett and Ray Cooper Megrue. Totheroh will speak the part of Ambrose Peale, the young advertising man who declines to eat a duck egg because ducks do not cackle and ad-

vertise. Harold Minger will take the part of Rodney Martin, the pampered son of a rich man. In the play Martin engages Peale as his advertising counsel and proceeds to put over a big business deal. This gets them into many ludicrous situations, which finally convinces everyone that a certain Mary Grayson would rather be Martin's partner for life in a home than his partner for a year or so in the office. Lois Austin will speak the part of Mary Grayson. The Arion Trio will play the music between acts.

TRAFFIC OFFICERS
NOW ON THE JOB

Appointment of Thomas Farquhar and Elbert E. Wells as traffic officers for Sonoma county was announced today by Will H. Marsh, chief of the Division of Motor Vehicles. Both appointments are effective April 1st and the Sonoma Board of Supervisors will sign an agreement with the state providing for payment of wages to the men out of the county apportionment of motor vehicle funds.

Each will receive a salary of \$225 a month.

Farquhar and Wells were members of the state highway patrol when the constitutionality of the motor vehicle act was attacked last fall. Their re-appointment was made possible by a recent decision of the supreme court upholding the right of the Division of Motor Vehicles to name the officers.

Their appointment marks a final step in the long fight of the Division to make the highways of Sonoma county safe for the careful motorist. The officers will work under the supervision of Chief Inspector C. K. Harder, and have been instructed to enforce all provisions of the law.

Checks for back pay of all members of the highway patrol were mailed out this week.

Re-organization of the patrol is progressing rapidly, Marsh stated. More than one-half of the boards of supervisors have agreed to submit lists of eligibles and to sign the co-operative agreement.

\$40,000 WILL CONTEST
IS SET FOR APRIL 21

The will contest of Rock McMullen has been set for April 21. After a long residence in Fort Bragg, McMullen removed to San Francisco a few years ago where he passed away, leaving his estate, valued at \$40,000, to his housekeeper. He has relatives here.

COWBOYS AND COWGIRLS
TO HAVE OLYMPIC GAMES

Articles have just been signed in New York for the holding of the first international championship cowboy, cowgirl contests. They will be staged during the British Empire Exposition at the Imperial Stadium in London, England, June 14th to 28th, under the auspices of the British government.

The British committee on contests has just completed arrangements with Tex Austin, of Las Vegas, New Mexico, to manage and direct the cowboy competitive events.

This first international rodeo is one of the most gigantic sports undertakings ever attempted. Mr. Austin was selected as the logical man to handle it because of his experience in managing and directing the four biggest and most successful contests of this nature ever held.

The competitive events at the London contest will be open to every nation in the world, with the international championship titles and trophies at stake as well as the largest cash prizes ever put up for cowboy competitions. Virtually every country that has a cattle industry, including the United States, Canada, Australia, South Africa, Mexico, and the Argentine, will be represented in the various events.

A ship is being chartered to take American, Mexican and Canadian contestants and their stock to England and will leave New York the latter part of May. These contestants will receive free transportation from New York to London and return. Similar arrangements are being made for the contestants in other countries.

The main events for cowboys will include bronk riding, steer roping, bull dogging, steer riding, bareback riding, fancy roping, wild horse races, cowgirls' bronk riding, relay races, etc.

Mrs. C. McDevitt, formerly of El Verano, was in town on business on Tuesday and greeted many old friends. Mrs. McDevitt has been visiting in Stockton and San Francisco, although she makes her permanent home with her daughter in Petaluma.

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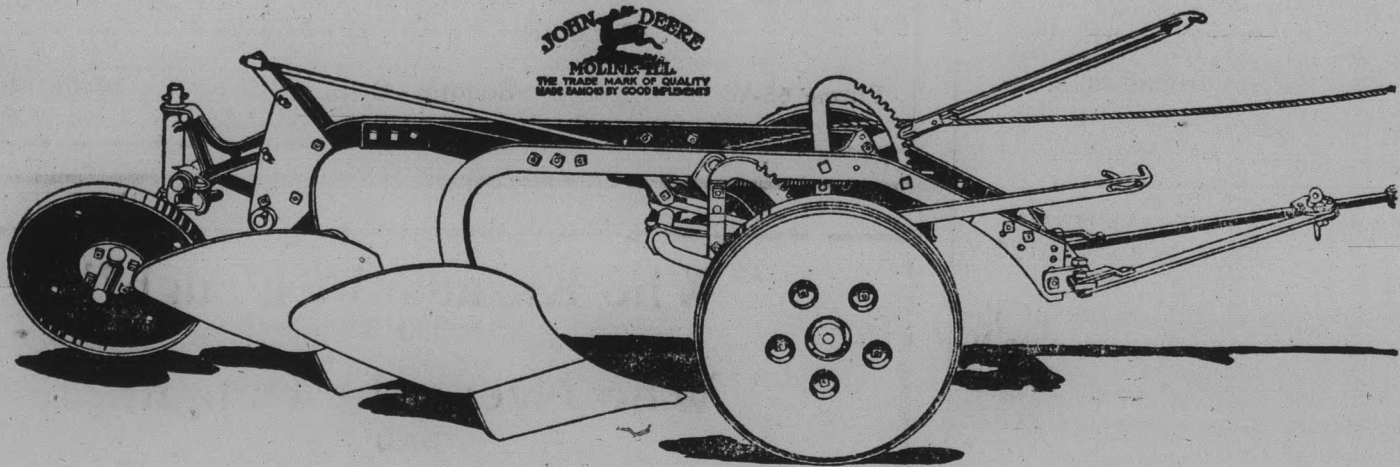
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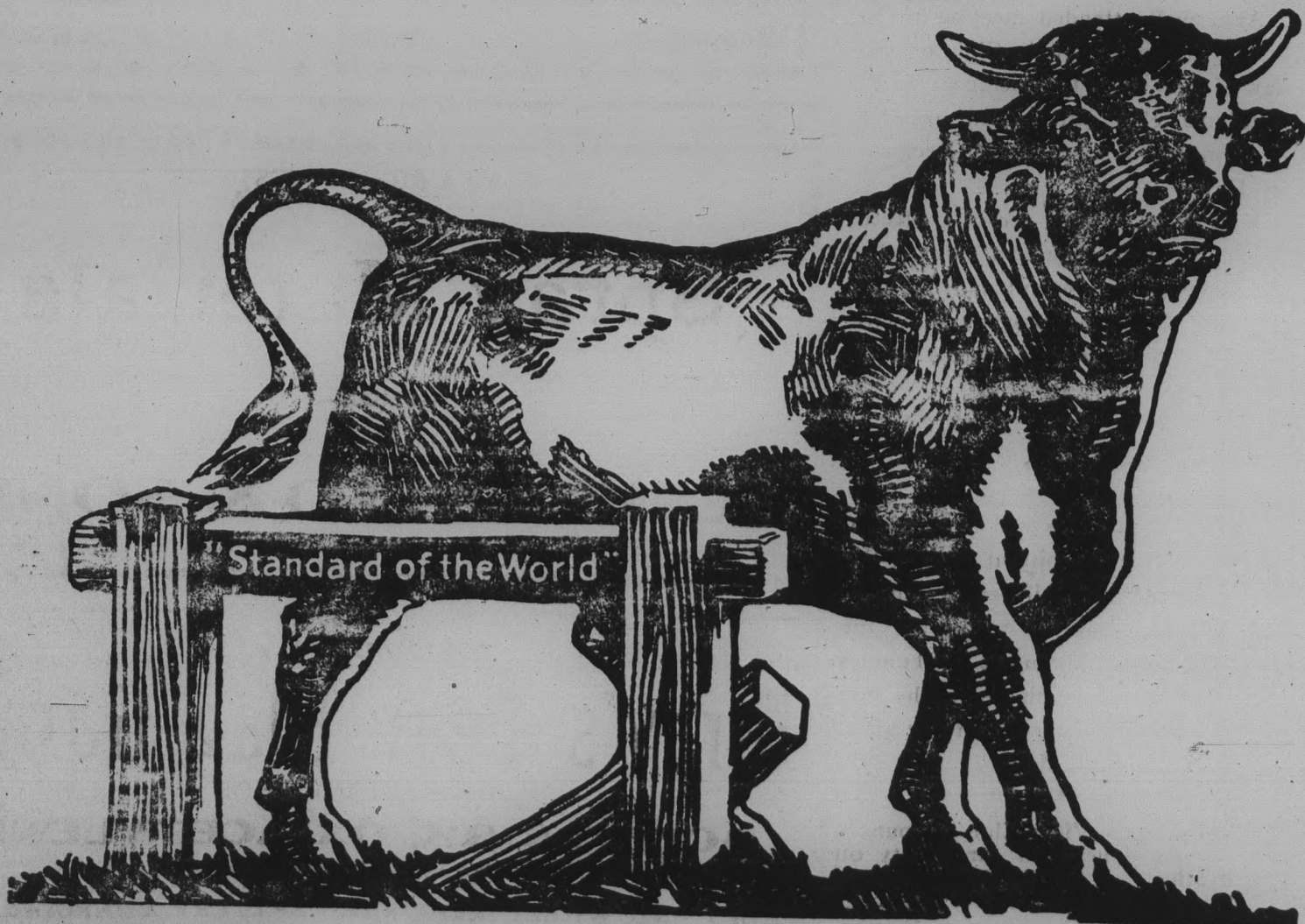
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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the City of Sonoma on Monday, the 14th day of April, 1924, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said City, the proposition of whether or not Ordinance No. 161 of said City shall become effective. Said Ordinance No. 161 is in words and figures as follows:

ORDINANCE NO. 161

An Ordinance Providing for the Levy and Collection of a Special Tax for the Purpose of Providing and Maintaining Parks.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma are hereby empowered to and may levy and collect a tax, not exceeding fifteen cents (\$0.15) on each one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for the purpose of providing and maintaining parks, and for such other purposes allowed by law as said Board of Trustees may hereafter by ordinance provide.

Said special tax shall be used for the purpose of improving and beautifying the town parks and Plaza, and may be used and expended in any manner that may be deemed best by said Board of Trustees.

Section 2. Said tax shall be in addition to all other taxes now authorized by law to be levied, and shall be levied and collected for each fiscal year in the time and manner now or hereafter provided for the collection of other municipal taxes and shall be subject to the same penalties for delinquency and manner of enforcement.

Section 3. This ordinance shall not become effective until the same shall have been submitted to the electors of said City at a special election to be held in said City on Monday, the 14th day of April, 1924. Signed:

(SEAL) FRED BULOTTI,

President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

Attest:

H. W. GOTTENBERG,
City Clerk.

The qualified electors of said city are hereby invited to vote for or against said Ordinance. If upon canvassing the votes cast at said special election it is found that a two-thirds (2-3) majority of the votes so cast are in favor of said Ordinance No. 161 the same shall become effective and the tax provided for therein shall be levied and collected and used in the manner provided therein.

The election precincts, polling places and election officers to conduct said special election and the manner of conducting same shall be the same as provided for the General Municipal Election to be held in said City on the said Monday, the 14th day of April, 1924.

This Notice is published pursuant to order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma.

Signed:

H. W. GOTTENBERG,
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Dated March 15, 1924.

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PLANS OF THE GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE

Plans and specifications for the proposed Golden Gate bridge, connecting San Francisco with Marin county, have been forwarded to San Francisco by Joseph B. Strauss, Chicago structural engineer.

Supervisor Welch of San Francisco received a telegram from Strauss stating that the War Department engineers have agreed to accept the plans for examination, despite a recent ruling of the department which created a new procedure for the submission of plans. City Engineer O'Shaughnessy of San Francisco, who has been working out details of the proposed bridge across the bay, said that he will be ready to combine his plans with those of Strauss when they arrive. Colonel Herbert Deakne, chief of the United States Army engineers in this district, will receive the plans and will then submit them to the War Department in Washington. Following a close analysis, a hearing will be had before army engineers at which Strauss and O'Shaughnessy will be present.

Welch said that the financing of the bridge project will be speeded up as soon as the engineers have sanctioned the general specifications.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

The attendance of Sonoma theatregoers at the Hippodrome and Cline Theatres proves the efficiency of local advertising.

"The White Sister" at the Hippodrome drew large crowds from Sonoma Valley, as did also the performance of "The Covered Wagon" at Santa Rosa. Both shows were advertised in the Sonoma Index-Tribune.

With the largest circulation in this territory and an ever increasing clientele of readers, wise advertisers are not missing the opportunity to get their message broadcasted by the Index-Tribune.

NOMINEES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE

Notice is hereby given that the following persons have been nominated for the offices hereinafter mentioned to be filled at the general municipal election to be held in the City of Sonoma on Monday, the 14th day of April, 1924.

For Trustees (for the full term)—
Fred Bulotti.

For Clerk—
Jep Valente.

Hartley W. Gottenberg.
For Treasurer—
William F. Clewe.

Rea Barron Hunter.
Dated March 29, 1924.

H. W. GOTTENBERG,
City Clerk.

RESOLUTION AND ORDER AP- POINTING ELECTION OFFICERS

Resolved and ordered, that the election officers to conduct the General Municipal Election to be held in the City of Sonoma, on Monday, April 14, 1924, be and they are hereby appointed and designated as follows:

For "Consolidated Election Precinct
"A":

Inspector (1)—Theodore Kiser.

Judge (1)—Joseph B. Small.

Clerks (2)—Harry Quartaroli and
Ralph Hotz.

Each election officer aforementioned being an elector and resident of the consolidated voting precinct for which he or she is appointed. The compensation for each election officer is hereby fixed at Five Dollars for his or her services in said election.

Resolved, that a copy of this Resolution and Order be sent to each of the abovenamed officers.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly introduced and adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma at a regular meeting held March 5, 1924, by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes—Dobbel, Lindley and Bulotti.
Noes—None.

Absent—Bates and Lewis.

Attest:

H. W. GOTTENBERG,
(SEAL) City Clerk.

MARIONETTES AT HIGH SCHOOL MONDAY

There is an hour or two of enchantment for everybody, young or old, who goes to the Sonoma Valley Union High School on Monday, March 31st, afternoon and evening, for the wonderful story of Cinderella is being told by the famous Kegg-Goldsmith Marionettes.

Hitherto we in America have only read of Marionettes playing in European countries and in the Orient; or, of those imported into our country. Now, America is having her own Marionettes.

The Kegg-Goldsmith Marionette Company made its debut last spring at the Players Club in San Francisco, where they played to capacity houses, and gave return engagements. Since then they have played at the California Theatre in San Francisco; at Stanford University, and in many of the leading clubs and colleges of the state. This production is considered by eminent critics one of the most finished and enchanting Marionette shows in the United States.

The Marionettes are beautifully carved, and are so constructed that they move every part of their bodies with the grace and ease of human beings. The people operating the strings which make these little actors play, are invisible. However, this secret art might be compared to the work of a violinist, who expresses himself thru his instrument—every string pulled expresses some emotion of the Marionettes. As the little figures play their parts they grow upon you until they seem to breathe, think, and to actually take on life-like proportions; so much so, that when at the end of the performance a puppet-master appears with the puppets, the audience gasps, for it is as though a giant stepped out of Gulliver's Travels.

The Marionettes are beautifully costumed in the period of Louis XVI. The quaint sets and furnishings are carried out in the same period. Delightful French folk songs wind through the play. The singing, the dancing and the Fairy Symphony carry one into a world of dreams.

If you still have the spirit of youth—and who does not wish to retain it—you cannot afford to miss this charming play which has delighted audiences all over the state.—adv.

HOTEL MAN CALLS

ARREST OUTRAGE

(S. R. Press Democrat)

L. M. Rossi, one of the proprietors of the Occidental Hotel of Santa Rosa will probably be arraigned in the police court early next week on charges of violating the liquor laws, police said Tuesday. The hotel proprietor, whose elaborate hotel suite was raided by Chief of Police George W. Matthews and Officer Jack Mays last Friday, resulting in the confiscation of several cases of liquor, has not been booked on any charge, the delay in proceeding being attributed by officers to the absence of City Attorney R. M. Barrett from the city.

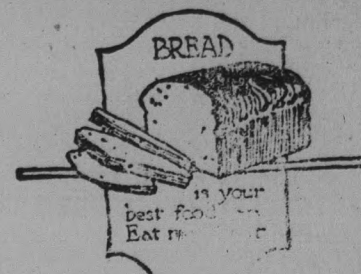
Rossi, who learned of the liquor raid on his return from San Francisco Friday night, characterized the confiscation of his purported private stock as an outrage and as the work of a disgruntled former employee. The charge against the hotel man was brought by Ben Burke, father of Rodney Burke, former employee of Rossi's charging sale and possession of liquor. The confiscated wine and whisky is locked in a vault at the city hall.

The Hawaiian orchestra which is to be a feature of the Woman's Club dance on April 12th at Glen Ellen is expected to draw a large crowd.

J. Rotenberg of Buena Vista is a patient at Sunnyvale Sanitarium, where he may remain for several months for the benefit of his health.

MRS. HENRY BATES' HEALTH IMPROVING

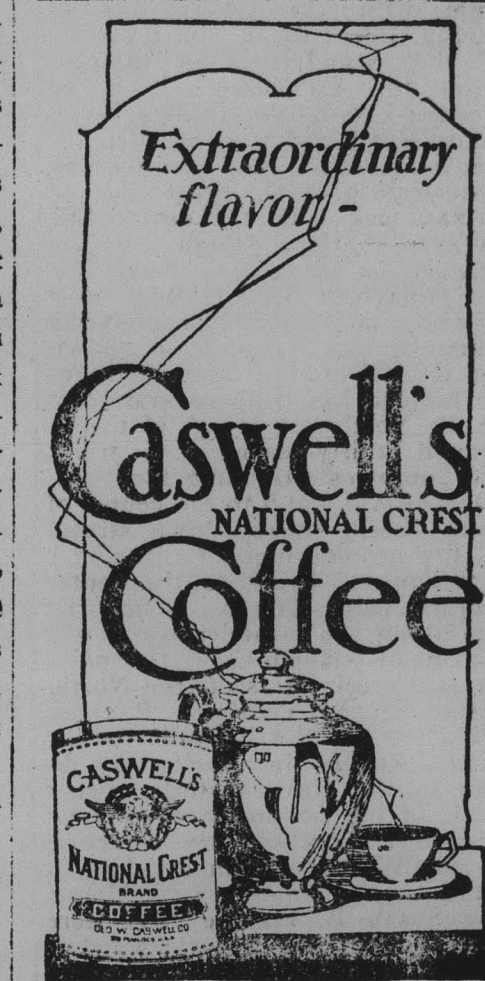
Mrs. Henry Bates, who has been ill many weeks and recently returned to her home from a San Francisco hospital, is reported as improving every day, which will be good news to many friends of the family throughout Sonoma county.



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NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held to decide the question whether or not a tax shall be levied and raised for the purpose of establishing and equipping a fire department for the Valley of the Moon Fire District, Sonoma County, State of California, and that the seventh day of April, 1924, has been appointed as the day on which said election shall be held; and that the building known as the Boyes Springs Fire House, Boyes Springs, Sonoma County, California, has been selected and will be the place where the electors shall cast their votes between the hours of 8 A. M. and 6 P. M. on said day.

The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars is the amount required for the establishment and equipment of said fire department.

All electors residing within the fire limits fixed by the Board of Fire Commissioners are eligible to vote at said election; the said fire limits are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the Rancho Agua Caliente being the intersection of the Easterly line of Rancho Agua Caliente with the center line of Agua Caliente Creek; thence along the Easterly line of said Rancho to the Northeast corner of Rancho Agua Caliente; thence in a Westerly direction to the Northwest corner of Rancho Agua Caliente, being the intersection of the Easterly line of the Rancho Agua Caliente with the center line of Calabazas Creek; thence down stream along the meanderings of the center line of Calabazas Creek to the center of Warm Springs Road, a County Road leading from Glen Ellen to Santa Rosa, said point being the intersection of the center line of Calabazas Creek with the center line of Warm Springs Road; thence Northwesterly along the center line of said Warm Springs Road to a point where said center line intersects the Easterly line of Lot 9 (as shown on the Official Map of Sonoma County) in Rancho Los Guilicos said point being the Northwest corner of the E. O'Donnell thirty-seven acre tract; thence Southwesterly along the Easterly line of said Lot 9 to the center of Sonoma Creek; thence down stream along the meanderings of the center line of Sonoma Creek to the center line of Graham Creek; thence up stream along the meanderings of the center line of Graham Creek to a point where said creek intersects the Easterly line of the Petaluma Rancho; thence along the Easterly line of the Petaluma Rancho in an Easterly direction to the Northwesterly corner of lands of the Sonoma State Home; thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Westerly boundary line of the lands of the Sonoma State Home, of the Susan B. Malone 734.0 acre tract, of the Adolph Spreckels 807.41 acre tract, of the Margaret Denahy 299.4 acre tract to the Southwesterly corner of the said Margaret Denahy tract; thence Northwesterly along the Southerly boundary line of the said Margaret Denahy tract to the Northwesterly corner of the Jno. O'Brien 412.50 acre tract; thence Southeasterly along the Easterly line of said Jno. O'Brien tract to the center line of a County Road leading from said last mentioned point to the Northwesterly corner of the Town of El Verano; thence along the center of said County Road to the Northwest corner of the Town of El Verano; thence continuing along the center of said County Road along the Western boundary of the Town of El Verano to the Southwesterly corner of the Town of El Verano; thence continuing along said County Road along the Westerly side of Rachel Snyder 577.0 acre tract to the Southwesterly corner of Rachel Snyder tract; thence Southwesterly along the center of said County Road to the Northwesterly corner of the Charles Ramelli 83.6 acre tract; thence Southeasterly along the center of said County Road to the intersection of said road with the Sonoma-Napa State Highway; thence in a Northwesterly direction along the Sonoma-Napa State Highway to a point where said highway intersects the center line of Arroyo Seco; thence up stream along the meanderings of the center line of Arroyo Seco to the Northwesterly corner of Out-Lot 501 of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma; thence along the Northwesterly line of Out-Lots 501, 502, 503 of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma to a point in the Easterly boundary line of the City of Sonoma; thence Southerly along said Easterly boundary line of the City of Sonoma to the Southeasterly corner of the City of Sonoma; thence Westerly to the Southwesterly corner of the City of Sonoma; thence Northwesterly to the Northwesterly corner of the City of Sonoma; thence Easterly along the Northwesterly boundary line of the City of Sonoma to the Southwesterly corner of the L. V. Emparan and M. V. Cutter 164.0 acre tract; thence Northwesterly along the Westerly line along the said Emparan and Cutter 164.0 acre tract to the Northwesterly corner of said tract, said corner being also in the Northwesterly boundary line of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma; thence Northwesterly along the Northwesterly line of the Former Pueblo of Sonoma to the center of Agua Caliente Creek; thence up stream along the meanderings of the center line of Agua Caliente Creek to the place of beginning.

Dated March 19, 1924, Valley of the Moon Fire District, Sonoma County, State of California.

THOS. H. CORCORAN,
ERNEST A. WAGNER,
EMMET MULLEN,

Board of Fire Commissioners of the Valley of the Moon Fire District, Sonoma County, State of California.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Having disposed of my business known as the Maison Doree, Fettes Springs, to Domenica Rovegna, I will not be responsible for any bills or transactions in my name at the above named resort. Signed:

JEAN CAZES.

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OR SALE—Good work horse. R. M. Tiddy, Box 248 Sonoma R. F. D. Hyde Tract. 31 3tp

OR SALE—Turkey eggs for hatching. O. R. Rufus, Buena Vista. 31tf

FOR SALE—Magnus root beer barrel and two carbonizing tanks. Rosenthal's Resort. 32 tfe

FOR SALE—1923 model Superior Chevrolet coupe in first class condition, good tires and a number of extras. Easy terms. G. Verbeck, the tailor, Sonoma. 31 tfe

FOR SALE—600 laying hens; Fairbanks-Morse gas engine, and Holstein cow. Ellis Vernon, Vineburg. 32 1tp

FOR SALE—One Fairbanks-Morse electric light plant, \$125. One Lawrence feed grinder, new, \$25. C. Soderberg. 32 tfe

FOR SALE—250 W. L. pullets, five months old, \$8.50 per dozen. T. Paravicini, Sonoma, Calif., R. F. D. Box 301. 32 1tp

FOR SALE—Hatching eggs, new strain R. I. Reds and Plymouth Rocks, \$1.00 per setting; also Baby Chicks. B. J. Juchter, Waller Tract, call evenings and Sundays. 33 2tp

FOR SALE—6 pieces heavy wired transparent plate glass 2x3½ feet; One Minute post card camera complete; large size masquerade suits very reasonable. Ideal Resort, Fettes Springs, phone 36-F-5. 31 2tc

FOR SALE—10 horses, 1100 to 1500 pounds each, wor single and double; also 10 sets of single and double harness. F. Jensen, El Verano, next to S. P. Station. 31 tfe

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FOR SALE—Large, heavy bearing strawberry plants, several varieties, \$1.50 per 100. Benjamin McKenna, blind road to Castle, Buena Vista, Cal. 30 3tp

FOR SALE—Kale plants. D. Colli, near Batto's Spur. 30 4tp

FOR SALE—PIGS come and see them your self. Market price. Parente's Tavern, Verano, Calif. 29-tf

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FOR SALE—Certified AA grade baby chicks from hens not less than two years old, mated to registered high pedigreed cockerels. D. Colli, Sonoma, Cal. 16 tfe

FOR SALE—Buy your baby chicks from a laying strain which has proven to be among the best in Sonoma county. We use only selected hens mated to double pedigree cockerels. Gerica & Sarich, Sonoma. 16tf

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FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching \$1.00 per 15; also D. I. Red and White Leghorn young roosters for sale; White Pekin duck eggs for hatching, \$1.00 per doz. Apply to G. W. Candelin, El Verano. 22-33p

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FOR SALE—Second hand lumber, 2x3 8 ft. to 14 ft. long, \$20 to \$22.50 per M; 16 ft. and over \$24 to \$25 per M. 2x6, 2x10 and 2x12 8 ft. to 14 ft. \$25 per M; 16 ft. to 28 ft. \$28 to \$29 per M. Delivered on your lot at \$2.50 per M. in 3000 ft. lots. New sheeting at \$30 per M. on railroad track. Address J. D. Wells, 317 B Street, Petaluma. 31 4tp

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FOR RENT—Fully equipped ice cream and soft drink stand at Rosenthal's Pavilion. Good money-maker; cheap rent. Rosenthal's Resort. 32 tfe

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WANTED—Chickens, ducks, geese and turkeys. Will pay full market price. Phone 50-F-5. Rosenthal's Resort, Boyes Springs. 30 tfe

WANTED—Middle aged lady to help with house wor on ranch. Must be able to do plain sewing. No objection to woman with a child. Apply this office. 30?

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WANTED—Well digging. I also build reservoirs. A. Caluffetti, well digger and cleaner. No. 131 German St., Sonoma. 30-45-tf

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LOST—White female terrier, brown spots, long hair, between Fairville and Yenni ranch. Notify this office. Reward. 32?

LOST—Between my home on Broadway and Masonic Hall, emblem pin of O. E. S. Return to Mrs. Paul Robin. Reward. 32?

CAPITAL OPERATIONS

Dr. A. M. Thomson operated upon Mr. Horn of Glen Ellen for appendicitis this week.

Mrs. Wierich also underwent a capital operation performed by the well known surgeon, at the General Hospital in Santa Rosa.

The Misses Cannobio were up from San Francisco over the week end visiting their folks at Agua Caliente.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a General Municipal Election will be held in the City of Sonoma, on Monday, the 14th day of April, 1924, for the following officers:

1. Two Trustees for the full term of four years.
2. Clerk.
3. Treasurer.

There will be one voting precinct for the purpose of holding said election, consisting of a consolidation of the regular election precincts established for holding State or County elections as follows:

Consolidated Voting Precinct "A" comprising State and County precincts numbers 1 and 2, and the voting place thereof shall be at the City Hall.

The polls will be open between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and 7 o'clock P. M.

H. W. GOTTENBERG,
City Clerk.

Dated at Sonoma, California, March 15, 1924.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Having purchased the grocery store of H. Hocknall, the undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by above after March 5, 1924.

Any person having claims against said property will present bill to W. W. Carter, real estate office, Sonoma, California. Signed:

OTTO CONRAD.

First publication March 8, 1924.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of GEORGE F. WARREN, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Frank H. Phillips, Administrator of the Estate of George F. Warren, Deceased, as Public Administrator, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at the office of Fred S. Howell, Esquire, Mutual Relief Bldg., corner of Western Ave. and Kentucky Street, City of Petaluma, County of Sonoma, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

FRANK H. PHILLIPS,
Administrator of the Estate of George F. Warren, Deceased.

Dated at Petaluma, Calif., February 25, 1924.

Fred S. Howell, Attorney for said Administrator.

First Publication, March 1st, 1924.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of AGOSTINO PINELLI, also known as Augustine Pinelli, also known as A. Pinelli, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the last Will and Testament of Agostino Pinelli, also known as Augustine Pinelli, also known as A. Pinelli, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executrix at the office of A. R. Grinstead, attorney at law, at Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, the same being designated as the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

ROSA PINELLI,
Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Agostino Pinelli, also known as Augustine Pinelli, also known as A. Pinelli, Deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, California, March 1, 1924.

A. R. GRINSTEAD,
Attorney for said Executrix.
First publication March 1, 1924.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of CHARLES DANIELI, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the estate of Charles Danieli, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of A. R. Grinstead, attorney at law, in Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, the same being designated as the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

MARY DANIELI,
Executrix of the Estate of Charles Danieli, Deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, California, March 22, 1924.

A. R. Grinstead,
Attorney for said Estate.
First publication March 22, 1924.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In and for the County of Sonoma. In the matter of the Estate of GEORGE F. WARREN, Deceased. No. 8538, Department No. 2.

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Property at Private Sale.

Whereas, a sale of the real property belonging to the estate of George F. Warren, deceased, is necessary for the payment of claims against said estate and for the costs and expenses of administration, and is for the benefit, advantage and best interests of said estate and those interested therein that said real property be sold;

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder in lawful money of the United States of America, and subject to confirmation by the court, all of the hereinafter described property, to-wit:

All that certain land situated in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot numbered Thirteen (13) of the "Haraszthy Tract," as the same is known, numbered and designated on "Map of the Subdivisions of the Haraszthy Tract at Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., the property of the Sonoma Valley Bank, being portions of Out Lots 504, 541 and 588, Surveyed March 1st, 1904, by L. E. Ricksecker, Surveyor," of record in said County of Sonoma; the said lot No. 13 containing an area of 6.05 acres.

The said sale will be made on or after the 2nd day of April, 1924, and offers or bids in writing will be received at the office of Fred S. Howell, Esquire, Attorney for said estate, Mutual Relief Building, corner of Western Avenue and Kentucky Street, City of Petaluma, County of Sonoma, State of California, or may be filed with the County Clerk of the County of Sonoma, State of California, at Santa Rosa, or may be delivered personally to said administrator at Petaluma, California.

Terms of Sale

Cash in lawful money of the United States, a certified check for ten per cent of the amount bid to accompany bid, and balance upon confirmation of sale and delivery of deed.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1924.

FRANK H. PHILLIPS,
Administrator of said Estate.

FRED S. HOWELL,
Attorney for said Administrator,
Petaluma, California.
First publication March 15, 1924.

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